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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 1755  
KENICHI NAKAMURA )  
Serial No. 08/884,778 )  
Filed: June 30, 1997 ) Examiner: M. Marcheschi  
For: BIODEGRADABLE MOLDING )  
MATERIAL )

## LETTER

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Informal Application (copy enclosed) attached to the Notice of Allowability dated January 4, 1998 in connection with the above-identified application, enclosed herewith please find a newly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney identifying the foreign country of residence of the inventor.

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Respectfully submitted,

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